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In re application of:

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10/020,676

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Confirmation No.: 3387

Filing Date:

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Examiner:

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For:

METHOD OF DESIGNING HALFTONE SCREENS USING NON-ORTHOGONAL

SUPERCELLS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time under Rule 1.136(a), as specified below, be granted for responding to the Office Action of 09/08/2005 due 12/08/2005.

One (1) month -

120.00

☐ Two (2) months -

450.00

Three (3) months -

\$ 1020.00

Four (4) months -

\$ 1590.00

Five (5) months -

\$ 2160.00

This: Petition accompanies a response to said Office Action.

Please charge the fee for this extension of time, and any other fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.21, and 1.136(a) (but not 1.18), to Deposit Account No. 24-0025. One duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully requested,

Signature under 37 CFR 1.33 & 34

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